York Hotshots Code of Conduct

Cheerleaders

- **1.** I will attend all training sessions and competitions as set out in the season handbook and in line with the club attendance policy.
- **2.** I will follow the club uniform policy at all training sessions and competitions.
- **3.** I understand that the TEAM comes before individual cheerleaders.
- **4.** I understand that coaches will make decisions based on what is best for the TEAM and that routines may be modified throughout the season. I will respect and support these decisions.
- **5.** I will come to practice with a positive attitude, and I will follow the instructions given by all coaches and will work hard to achieve goals set by these coaches. I realise that a positive attitude is contagious, and I will do my best to influence my teammates in a positive manner.
- **6.** I will be a good teammate, and understand no gossip, pettiness, bullying or alienating will be tolerated.
- **7.** I will not disrespect any cheerleader, coach, volunteer, parent or spectator from York Hotshots or any other Cheerleading Club/Event Provider at any time. This includes face-to-face, telephone, text, email and social networking sites.
- **8.** I will demonstrate good sportsmanship striving to be a humble winner and a gracious loser.
- **9.** I will inform my coaches immediately if I am injured and feeling unwell in training or at competitions.
- **10.** If I am responsible for paying fees I will ensure payments are made on time as detailed in the handbook. I understand I may be asked to sit out of the session if I haven't paid my fees.

Parents / Guardians / Spectators

- **1.** I will support my child and the club in a positive manner, praising effort, commitment and personal achievement regardless of competition placing. I understand decisions are made for the best of the team and will support my child to understand and respect all club decisions
- **2.** I will pay fees on time as detailed in the club handbook. I understand that my child may be asked to sit out of the session if fees have not been paid.
- **3.** I will place all spectator ticket, bus, uniform orders on time as detailed in the club handbook. I understand that tickets/bus places/uniform will not be available after the deadline date.
- **4.** I will support my child's commitment to the team by ensuring they attend all training session and competitions and will follow the club attendance policy.
- 5. I will stay up to date with club news and information by reading all club communication.
- **6.** I will not disrespect any cheerleader, coach, volunteer, parent or spectator from York Hotshots or any other Cheerleading Club/Event Provider at any time. This includes face-to-face, telephone, text, email and social networking sites.

Coaches

- **1.** We will provide a positive and safe environment.
- **2.** We strive to achieve the best from all cheerleaders and the team as a whole. All decisions made will be based on what is best for the team and gives them the strongest possible chance of achieving the team goal.
- **3.** We will treat all cheerleaders, coaches, volunteers, parents and spectators from York Hotshots or any other Cheerleading Club / Event Provider with respect at all times.
- **4.** We will communicate information in a timely manner and will confirm times for competitions as soon as we receive them from the event provider.
- **5.** We will strive to make Cheerleading FUN and a positive experience for all involved.